# Students in grades 6 to 12 who who report having ever tried alternative tobacco and nicotine products

Unit:%

	Academic Year 2023-2024	Academic Year 2021-2022
Province		
New Brunswick	12.3	12.2
Health zones		
Zone 1 - Moncton and South-East Area	11.1	10.3
Zone 2 - Fundy Shore and Saint John Area	12.0	12.2
Zone 3 - Fredericton and River Valley Area	12.0	11.6
Zone 4 - Madawaska and North-West Area	14.3	15.5
Zone 5 - Restigouche Area	15.4	17.2
Zone 6 - Bathurst and Acadian Peninsula Area	14.8	14.4
Zone 7 - Miramichi Area	15.3	15.7
Communities		
Bathurst, Beresford, Petit-Rocher Area	13.5	13.3
Bouctouche, Richibucto, Saint-Antoine Area	17.0	15.3
Campbellton, Atholville, Tide Head Area	14.8	14.7
Caraquet, Paquetville, Bertrand Area	15.6	17.1
Dalhousie, Balmoral, Belledune Area	16.2	20.8
Dieppe and Memramcook	9.3	7.2
Douglas, Saint Marys, Doaktown Area	17.5	14.1
Edmundston, Rivière-Verte, Lac Baker Area	13.1	13.0
Florenceville-Bristol, Woodstock, Wakefield Area	12.9	15.3
Fredericton	10.4	9.0
Grand Bay-Westfield, Westfield, Greenwich Area	n/a	3.2



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Grand Falls, Saint-Léonard, Drummond Area	14.3	15.1
Hillsborough, Riverside-Albert, Alma Area	21.4	18.4
Kedgwick, Saint-Quentin and Grimmer	18.9	28.8
Minto, Chipman, Cambridge-Narrows Area	17.6	14.3
Miramichi, Rogersville, Blackville Area	15.4	15.9
Moncton	9.7	8.8
Nackawic, McAdam, Canterbury Area	17.1	20.1
Neguac, Alnwick, Esgenoopetitj Area	15.1	13.8
New Maryland, Kingsclear, Lincoln Area	4.2	12.3
Oromocto, Gagetown, Fredericton Junction Area	11.9	10.6
Perth-Andover, Plaster Rock, Tobique Area	20.5	20.3
Quispamsis, Rothesay, Hampton Area	12.4	10.7
Riverview and Coverdale	9.0	10.5
Sackville, Dorchester, Port Elgin Area	15.3	13.5
Saint John, Simonds and Musquash	11.7	13.3
Salisbury and Petitcodiac	15.9	15.6
Shediac, Beaubassin East and Cap-Pelé	9.7	9.1
Shippagan, Lamèque, Inkerman Area	19.9	18.1
St. George, Grand Manan, Blacks Harbour Area	12.7	13.7
St. Stephen, Saint Andrews, Campobello Island Area	10.7	13.3
Sussex, Norton, Sussex Corner Area	14.1	11.3
Tracadie and Saint-Isidore	13.4	12.5
School districts		

Anglophone East School District	11.5	11.0



	Academic Year 2023-2024	
Anglophone North School District	17.6	18.4
Anglophone South School District	12.1	12.2
Anglophone West School District	12.5	11.9
Anglophone sector	12.7	12.5
District scolaire francophone Nord-Est	14.5	14.0
District scolaire francophone Nord-Ouest	14.5	16.0
District scolaire francophone Sud	8.6	8.1
Francophone sector	11.4	11.3
Grades		
Grades 6 to 8	4.6	4.1
Grades 9 to 12	17.7	18.0
Gender		
Female	12.5	12.2
Male	12.1	11.7
Non-binary	20.1	15.5
Sex at birth		
Female	12.7	12.5
Male	11.9	11.8
2SLGBTQIA+ status		
2SLGBTQIA+	17.2	15.5
Indigenous identity		
Indigenous	23.2	21.8

## Immigrant

Data downloaded from the NBHC website on May 2, 2024 More information available at: https://nbhc.ca/indicators/sh\_smoal\_1



	Academic Year 2023-2024	Academic Year 2021-2022
Immigrants	10.4	11.1
Disability or special need		
Disability or special need	16.4	n/a
Racialized groups		
Racialized groups	10.9	n/a



### About

This indicator is the percentage of students in grades 6 to 12 who who report having ever tried alternative tobacco and nicotine products.

#### Source

Student Wellness and Education Survey - Grades 6-12

#### Calculations

This indicator is calculated by dividing the number of respondents who selected "yes, to at least 1 of the 7 response options" by the "total number of respondents" to the question: Have you ever tried any of the following? Smoking little cigars or cigarillos (plain or flavoured), smoking cigars (not including little cigars or cigarillos, plain or flavoured), smoking roll-your-own cigarettes (tobacco only, in rolling papers), using heated tobacco products, using smokeless tobacco (chewing tobacco, pinch, snuff, or snus), using a water-pipe (hookah) to smoke sheesha (herbal or tobacco) or using blunt wraps (a tube made of tobacco used to roll cigarette tobacco)

#### Notes

Users are advised to exercise caution if comparing data from the community of Grand Bay-Westfield, Westfield, Greenwich Area to other New Brunswick communities. The data for the community of Grand Bay-Westfield, Westfield, Greenwich Area is based on students in grades 6 to 8, while data from the other communities are based on students in grades 6 to 12. Survey results are assigned to communities based on the location of the school. The community of Grand Bay-Westfield, Westfield, Greenwich Area does not have any schools with grades 9 to 12.

 Unit
 Interpretation
 NBHC code

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 Lower is better
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#### Caption

n/a = Not applicable / not available

S = Data suppressed due to confidentiality requirements and/or small sample size